



PATENT Attorney Docket No.: MEDIV1120-1

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  VanTassel et al.	) Group Art Unit: 3731
Application No.: 09/382,275	Examiner: Unassigned  CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8
Filed: August 25, 1999  For: AN IMPLANTABLE DEVICE FOR	I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date
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## **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action mailed on September 14, 1999.

The requested extension is for one (1) month, extending the period for response to December 14, 1999.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the total fee of \$2216.00; \$760.00 for the filing fee, \$1176.00 for extra claims, \$130.00 surcharge fee for missing parts of the application, \$40.00 recordation fee for one (1) assignment and \$110.00 for a one (1) month extension of time fee, as well as any additional fees that may be associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1895. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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